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TELEGRAMS. REUTER'S

THE NEW PUSH IN THE WEST.

BIGGEST BATTLE IN HISTORY RAGING.

BRITISH CAPTURE LANGEMARCK AND MANY PRISONERS.

London, August 16. A French communique states:-There are artillery duels in Belgium to the north of the Aiane, in Champagne, on both banks of the Meuse and in Upper Alsace.

Great Attack by Canadians.

London, August 16. Field Marabal Sir Dauglas Haig, in a communique, states:-The Canadiana this morning stormed positions to the south-east and east of Loos, on a front of two miles. They carried formidable defences on Hill 70, which, since September, 1915, when the enemy resisted our attacks, have been strengthened by every device. missing, two of which were overtaken by a violent storm.

and north of Yores. There is heavy fighting: We are progressing death and Europe speed to an abyes and lend a hand in its own any emergency. at all points, despite a stubborn resistance. We repulsed three suicide? Therefore a sense of his supreme duty as the Father of more counter-attacks last night against new positions on the Lens the Faithful and also the solicitations of his children imploring interbattle front. Our artillery broke up concentrations near Cite St. yention, as well as the voice of humanity and reason, impel him to Augusto.

A Fine French Drive.

London, August 16. thorough artillery preparation, we attacked at dawn in conjunction which seem to form the basis of a fair and lasting peace:with the British Army on our right. The infantry, with superb clan, assaulted enemy positions on both eider of the Steenstracte-Dixmude of material force of arms by the moral force of right, from which Road, carrying all their objectives. They crossed the Steenbeck, there should be an agreement for a simultaneous and reciprocal progressing on the right bank in contact with the British troops. reduction of armaments, according to rules and guarantees, to a A vigorous attack south of Ailles carried a solid enemy trench degree only necessary for the maintenance of public order in each system on a front of one kilometre. Four enemy counter-attacks State, and then the establishment of arbitration, providing for were easily repulsed. Up to the present we have taken 120 concerted action and penalties against a State refusing to submit prisoners. During our attack in the Ailles and Hurtbise sector aeroplanes flying low, despite the bad weather, accompanied the infantry and machine-gunned-enemy dug-cuts and reserves.

Recewal of the Offensive.

London, August 16 this morning, the Anglo Frence renewed their offensive in Flanders, attacking from the region opposite the famous Polygone de Zonnebeke, in the south, to the left of the French positions, in the north. Heavy gannery all night long swelled into great intensity as the time for launching the assault drew near. The weather, cave for light showers, was tolerably clear. By the way, our men restitution of the occupied territories. Consequently, Germany are laughingly predicting the end of the Hane' lack in the matter of the weather, since the other day we captured one of the meteorological experts of the German Army. It is too early yet to group of belligerents should restore the German colonies. With gather reliable details of the fighting. That the battle was regard to the territorial questions of such countries as Italy, desperately contested is assured by the great strength of the Austria and Germany and France, the hope is expressed that the reserves thrown in by this portion of Prince Rupprecht's group. Between the early morning and ten o'clock last night, the Canadiana retained the whole of the captured ground. As the enemy's society. The same spirit of equity and justice should animate the reserves had to advince over open ground, they suffered heavy casualties. Perhaps those who had the most terrible experiences were the Fourth Prassish Guards, who seem to have been specially retained as a counter-attacking force. They moved forward late in the afternoon to assemble for attack. The ground was swept by war, should arouse the nations sympathies. The Note believes that our artillery.: They actually came in battalione, marching in fours. Our machine gune also did terrible work amongst them. Although one division marched on, the men never seemed to get any nearer question. It concludes with an earcest and prayerful appeal to our line. Mean while corpses were piling up in an appalling manner. These Prussians certainly marched to their death like soldiers, and when they at last balted and retired there was so little left of the Division that it may truly be said that they were virtually annihilated. Our own casualties till last night were light, absence of diplomatic relations. considering the character of the fighting.

The enemy's artillery has been intense and has been directed by his aeroplanes, which have been more than usually adventurous Coloured balls and signal lights have been soaring and bursting in a regular firework display throughout the day. The bulk of these eignals of distress came from the Germans.

Greatest Battle in All History.

London, August 16. The latest British stroke is clearly part of one great offensive, constituting what is probably the greatest battle in all history. Comment both in London and Paris is restrained, for it is realised that an immense tank confronts the Allies in ousting the Germans from bombed a German barracks, automobile park and munition sheds at Belgium and France, and there is a disposition to swait develop. Courtrai on Tuesday, doing enormous damage. Twenty soldiers ments calmiv and confidently. There is evidence that the German suffered casualties. The squadron returned safely. General Staff do not think that the full strength of the offensive has even yet developed. The German newspapers are fully alive to the Western menace, and latest comment shows that they are probably instructed to prepare the people for certain possibilities. A semiofficial correspondent of the Kosinische Vo ke Zeitung says that the worst hardships and the beaviest hours are about to come as the Anglo-French are making a three fold offensive. He warns the neople to prepare for grave difficulties, and eave all their hopes gentre in General von Hindenburg.

British Capture Langemarck.

Loudon, August 16. Dongles Half this morning captured, Langemerck, taking 1,200 Tunnel, in consultation with their naval and military advisors, and prisoners and capturing five gaps. [Langemarck is situate about five miles north-east of Ypres].

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

THE NEW PUSH IN THE WEST,

The German Version.

London, Azgust 16. A German efficial wireless message states. The second great Flanders battle has burst forth. The artillery duel is most violent on August 7. He hoped that it would end the sceeny attacks along the coast between the Yeer and Dout! (?). The English hospital ships, but a definite assurance from Germany had not yet firm, and there are believe. attacked on an eighteen kilometree front between Birschoote been received. The names and full particulars of identification of and Wytschaete. The English attacked between Hulloch all British hospital ships will be communicated to the enemy prior and Lens yesterday morning. Four Cauadian Divisions forced our to their employment as hospital ships, in accordance with the Hague first positions in an effort to deepen the gap on both-sides of Loos. Convention. Lord Robert believed that the auggestion for the new Their objective was Vendin le Vieil village. Their gain is small, arrangement came from Britain. Eleven tresh attacks collapsed. We repulsed attacks south of Hulluch, and west of Lens. The French fired 3,000 shells at St. Quentin, which set fire to the Cathedral. French attacks between Uerny and Hurtebise farm failed.

> THE PAPAL PEACE EFFORT. Main Points of the Appeal.

London, August 15. The text of the Papal Note, addressed to the heads of the After storming the first trench system on the whole front, they belligerent peoples, has been published. It is prefaced by a stateadvanced as far as the western defences at Cite St. Auguste, pene | ment that His Holiness' aim since his accession has been to observe trating to a depth of one mile. They gained possession of Cite St. absolute neutrality and concurrently to do everything in his power Elizabeth, Cite St. Emille, Cite St. Laurent, Bois Rase and the to hasten the end of the war. He states that he has not ceased western half of Bris Hugo, capturing all their objectives. Our during the three painful years to exhort the belligerent peoples and casualties were alight. We repulsed five counter-attacks, one of Governments to resume fraternal relationship, although everything which was by the Prussian Guards. The enemy's losses were that has been done has not been made public. His Holiness refers acroplance and drove down five. Beven of our machines are been stricken with desolation and death. The Note envisages the multiplied and aggravated sufferings that will ensue if the war The Allies this morning again attented on a wide front east continues, perhaps for years. Must the world become a field of renew a pressing appeal for peace, but in order not to confine himself any longer to general terms, as previously, he now submits more concrete and more practical proposals and invites the

international questions thereto or to accept its decisions. The Note proceeds to express the view that once the supremacy of right was thus established, rules could be fixed assuring real liberty and freedom of the seas, thus eliminating numerous causes of dispute. opening to all new sources of prosperity and progress. 'His Holiness Reuter's correspondent at British Headquarters says: -At 4.45 does not see any other means of solving the question of reparation ne a general principle, and refers in this connection to the immense pronouncements. Mr. A quith will follow him. benefits that will be received from disarmament. Besides, it is incomprehensible that the carnage will continue for economic reasons, and peaceful agreements are not possible without a reciprocal should execuste Belgium, guaranteeing her unhampered independence. She should also evacuate French territory. The other opposing nations will conciliatorily examine these matters, taking into consideration the people's aspirations as far as possible and best off no fewer than ten German counter attacks and have still co ordinating the special interests for the general good of human examination of other territorial and political questions, particularly those relating to Armeois, the Bulkan States and the territories composing the old Kingdom of Poland. The noble, historic and traditional long sufferings of the latter, especially in the present an acceptance of the foregoing leading points will prevent a recurrence of the quarrels and prepare a solution of the economic turn a favourable ear to the communication.

Cardinal Gasparri, in a covering letter with the Note, asks His Majusty the King to convey cooles to the Presidents of France and the United States and the King of Italy, in consequence of the

Proposals Absolutely Unacceptable,

London, August 16. The Pope's proposals are the topic of the moment. An interesting fact is that the covering letter addressed to King George asks His Majesty to transmit the Note to France and America. nations which are friendly Allies. The opinions of the papers are

A BIG BRITISH AIR RAID. London, Angust 16. A message from Ameterdam says that a British sir equadron

unchanged-that the proposals are absolutely unacceptable, as they

mean merely a German peace.

STRIKE THREATS IN GERMANY, London, August 16. Reuter's correspondent at Ameterdam says that handbills have been circulated among German munition, factories, inciting" the workers to strike. A semi-official communication hopes that the

workers will not listen to such incitements. THE CHANNEL TUNNEL

London, August 16. In the House of Commons, Mr. Boner Law stated that the Mr. Lloyd George has ennounced that Field Marchal Sir Cabinet had most Carefully considered the question of the Channel were still of the opinion that it was impracticable to proceed with it during war time.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

THE HOSPITAL SHIP AGREEMENT.

London, August 16. In the House of Commone, Lord Robert Coulicmed the nglo-Franco-Spanish agreement regarding bospital abics, cabled

London, August 16. According to B-uter's correspondent at Bome, for the week though prevented by conscientions. ending August 12 there were 550 arrivals and 509 sailings. Six scraples from colleting; as comsteamers and five sailing vessels were sunk. Only one sailing ship barants in the war Seventh Day was over a handred tons.

SHIPPING RETURNS.

London, August 16. For the week ending August 12, the arrivals of vessels at here to-day, expressed willing ness. French ports were 1,010, while the sailings numbered 1,028. One to do their part in the field vessel over and three under 1 600 tone were sunk, and five vessels ambulance and field hospital were unsuccessfully attacked.

RAILWAY UNREST AT HOME.

Landon, August 16. In the House of Commons, Sir Arthur Stinley spoke of the governments in general and in the heavy, 292 prisoners already having resoluting stations, to the non-success of his previous appeal for peace, since when the possibility of a stoppage of work by a section of the railway drivers United States in particular. We We completely repulsed an attack in the neighbourhood of Pilkem, war has become more cruel, extending on land and firemen with the object of establishing the principle of an love our Government, and thenk on the Langemarck Road. We brought down nine Germen the sir. Defenceless cities, quiet villages, innecent inhabitants have eight-hour days. He stated that the Cabinet was of opinion that an God that our lot has been cast in eight-hour day was impractiable in war tim . He did not believe this country. It is not only out. that any responsible body of men would prejudice war conduct by duty, but our privalege, to uphold participating in a stoppage, but steps were being taken to deal with the principles which this

Mr. Thomas, on behalf of the National U-ion of Railwaymen, disclaimed a threat of stoppage of work

THE EX-TSAR IN EXILE

London, August 16. According to Benter's correspondent at Petrograd, Bolsk, in our country in this crisis in any A French communique states: -In Belgium, after a violent and belligerent Governments to deliberate on the following points, Biberia, is the destination of the ex-Tear and family whose exile was capacity, which does not conflict. decided on in consequence of information received by the Govern- with our conscientions attiends Primerily, the fundamental point ought to be the substitution ment of a counter revolutionary agitation and the possibility of an lloward the law of God. attempt to release the ex-Tear from confinement at Tearskoye-Selo.

HOUSE OF LORDS REFORM.

London, August 15. In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law stated that the Conference on the Reform of the House of Lords would consist fifteen Peers an i fifteen members of the House of Commons.

IMPORTANT WAR PRONOUNCEMENTS PENDING.

London, August 16. The House of Commons meets prior to the adjurnand payment of war costs than a complete and mutual liquidation ment, when Mr. Lloyd George will make some important war

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE ALLIED OFFENSIVE.

Magaificent Work by Canadians. London, Aug. 15.

Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters writing in the afternoon says: General Currie's splendid Canadian troops by a splendid attack in the morning added a brilliant page" to the history of the war. What adds lustre to the Canadian victory is to learn that the Germans were completely ready for the bettle and were in no way surprised. A prisoner officer states that they were told that the attack would be delivered within half an hour of the actual development which in many places was being awaited. The enemy put down a barrage within two minutes of the opening bombardment. The night was very dark and stormy but the rain ceased just before jumping off time.

Nothing judicated that anything abnormal was indicated till the battle opened. Then suddenly the artillery began a shower of oil drums which went rolling over in convulsions of pink flame into the midst of the enemy positions. The creeping barrage reared forth a perfect cataclysm of sound. The infantry began to advance at 4.25. The fighting included the taking of Hill 20, Cite St. Laurent and Cite St. Emile. . The resistance upon Hill 20 was not very great although beyond the Germans fought, stubbornly. The southern part of the attack also met with comparatively little resistance. Through the smoke of the barrage the Canadians could see the Huns fleeing and when they did stop it was principally to propose surrendering.

The enemy was completely demoralised by cascades of fire which lit up vaporous fumes as the oil drums emitted their contents. A very large proportion of the captives are mere boys and this testifies to the serious problem which the man-power question in Germany is presenting.

The first phase had consisted of a sweep to the southward from Bois Hugo to the outskirts of Lens, which devoloped with great success. The second phase involved's continuation of the south-easterly movement, accompanied by heavy pressure further south. The struggle here continues and has extended southwards.

The correspondent pays a tribute to the indescribably fine spirit of the Canadians, who in their own phrase "have their tails, in the sir." All are confident that they have the Boche besten. The scene of some of the sharpest fighting has been from the railway embankment north of Cite St. Laurent, from which the boiling oil treatment cleared the Huns, to 700 yards to the south. The German airmen were more venturesome than usual but our machines are chasing them everywhere over the battle ground. The tanks were not used as the ground was unsuitable.

Hill 70 is well within the territory they advanced over. It needs only a glance at the map to enable appreciation of the great tactical value of this success in relation to Lens and beyond. The battle is of course not yet over and big as it is it is impossible to say how it may yet extend. (Continued on page 8.)

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EXCESS PROFILS DUTY.

An Interesting Point,

An aspect of the Exerse Profits Daty question is raised by a correspondent of the Financier, who points out that rubber investors, whether sanguine or otherwise, must always have before their weyen (at a greater or less distance) the possibility of the perfection of synthetic "rabber." "Esch hopes that before the fatal event takes place the bigh rate of interest, bitherto sveraging some 9 per cent., will enable an adequate provisionato be made as a sinking fund." The correspondent proceeds to draw a harrowing picture of what might happen in the event of a great debacle in the rubber industry. What would be the responsibility, in that event, of a Government which has a proprieted from the industry sums that will amount in many cases to more than the original ospital of the companier? The contingency of synthetic rubber being produced on a commercial scale is admittedly remote, hat it is not impossible. While plantation rubber holds the field is is the duty of the British Gavera nent to ensourage the production within the Empire of a commodity useful alike in peace and

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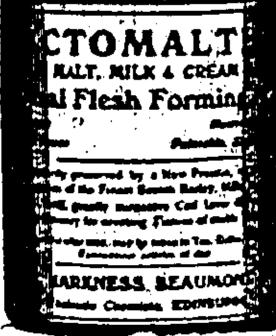
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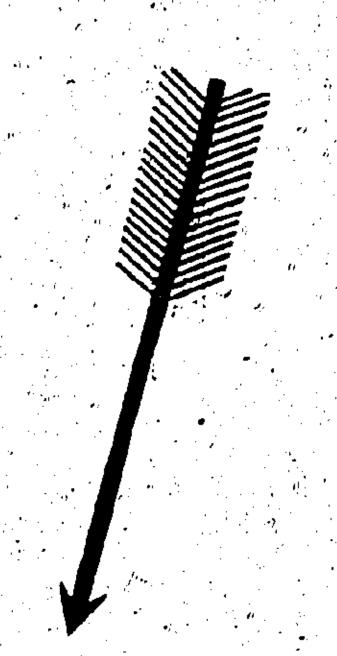
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GENERAL NEWS

No Higher Raliway Fares. Mr. Roperts, for the Board of Trade, announced in the House of Commons that there was now foundation for the rumour that railway fares in England were to be increased, but it was imperative that railway journeys should be confined within the parrowset limits if secommodation was to be provided for the large number who wished to travel during the coming holidays for munition

Harvest Beer. has been the custom for Suffolk laboures to brew their own harvest beer, but the refusal to allow them to have the necessary mait this year bas led to threats of striken. Lord Bristol championed the labourers at West Suffolk War Agricultural Executive Clatling that men who did hard work should have a glass of good beer. The men's contention is they can brew pure beer at lal. per pint, against 5d. for inferior stoff rold by brewerr-

"Why England is Hated." The National Interventionist Congress opened here this morning. Signor Doambrie, formerly a Sccielist, and now an Independent said: "The reason why the Italian Sociatists hate England is because they are thoroughly convinced that so long as England ie with us no treaties can be broken, and no tresson to the Pact of London is possible." This observation was greated by roar of enthusiasm from the deneply packed meating, orien of "That is true," "Long live England!" and "Lorg live our Ally!" continuing for some time. -Reuter.

Mew Admirals. The following announcements Fre made: Admiral Sir U. J Briggs has been placed on the retired list from July 2. Vice-Admiral Sir E. B. Bradford promoted to Admiral, with July 2. Rearseniority Admiral A. W. Waymouth promoted to Vice-Admiral; with seniority July 2. Cant. J. Nicholas promoted to rank of Russ-Admiral, with senicrity July 2 Vict-N. Ommanney Admirale R. Robertson (retired), C. (retired), Rear-Admiral H. C. Kingsford (retired), the above three have been promoted to Admiral (retired). Bear-Admiral (retired) R.P.F. Purefoy premoted to Vice Admiral (retired).

The Late Sir H. Tree. Among the large number of telegrams and letters of condolence received by Lady Tree were the following :- "The King and Queen learnt with deep regret of the sorrow which has befellen you. Their Majesties have known Sir Herbert Tree for many years, and sympathies with you and with the artistic world in the loss sustained by the death of your distinguished husband ... Stamfordham." "Terribly shocked so hear of the so sudden death of your dear and great bushand, the celebrated actor, whose loss to you, his children, and the whole theatrical would is irreparable My most hasrtfelt sympathy with you all.—Alexandra, All my sympathy with you and your daughters.-Princes Royal Bir Herbert Tree gave instruct ions in his will that his body should be cremeted and his funeral private and simple. Triumphs of Medicine.

Hospital Bunday sermons were preached in the churches throughout the metropolis recently. Dean Inge, at All Saints, Eunismoregardene, referred to the wonderful triumphs of medical science during the last low years. "A whole company of diseases," he said. has been almost extirpated in our time. Where is smallpox. the case dreaded roomge? In 1912 only nine people died of it. Where is typhus? Almost extinet. Hydrophobia? There has been one case since 1902. And the mortelity rate from come of the worst diseases has been wery greatly reduced. Tetanos, an auful disease very fatal during the first weeks, has been overcome by inoculation, as has typhoid. We shall be an invalid nation for a generation after the war, but that we shall be permanently crippled I do not believe." In the afternoon Canon Alexander presched st St. Paul's before a large congregation, including the Lord Mayor and Sheriffe and several of the Judges.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

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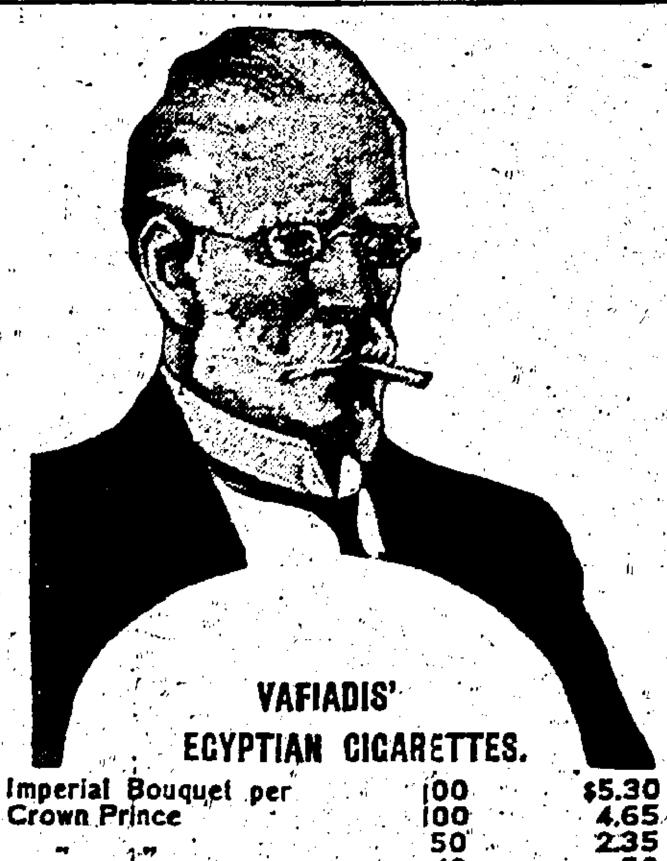
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THE MILITARY SERVICE BILL.

Further light was yesterday thrown on the provisions of the The Germans are being gradually was interestingly wasching Military Service Bill by the speeches made on the second reading beaten, and one of these days we conjuring performance at Yauof the measure and the laying on the table of the draft regulations shall probably see a big crump- man at the time. drawn up under the Ordinance. These showed in a detailed man- ling up of their line. ner the proposed composition of the new Defence Corps which is to take the place of the existing Volunteers and Volunteer Reserves, The Papal Note. the nature of the training which its members will be required to undergo, and the arrangements which have been plenned for its administration. The outstanding feature of the proposals is that text of the Note which His the corps will be under the direct military guidence of the General Holiness the Fope has addressed Officer Commanding, while general control will be exercised by the to the belligerents with reference Governor-in-Council, whose functions will apparently closely resemble those discharged by the Army Council at Home. As to drills, Holiness makes it clear that be H.K.V.R. states:these will number a minimum of fifty per year, while the Corps will | be mobilised for a month during the cold season, when it will be his proposals are "more concrete On duty from the morning of house. But neither the one nor compulsory for members to put in eight days at camp—a provision and more practical "then on pre- Sunday, the 19th August, to the the other of these two gentlemen which we are glad to see incorporated in the regulations. One other vious occasions. What His Holi- morning of Sunday, the 26th was there. On the other hand, important feature of the suggested regulations is contained in the ness sime at is "a fair and lasting August, H.K.V.O. examination scheme which is to apply to those seeking advance- peace." Even a mere superficial Next for duty, "A" Coy. H.K. serious face and the following ment in rank, for this concerns a most vital question upon which glance at the proposale indicates V.R. we shall have more to say in a moment

It will have been noted from our report of last evening that likely to achieve their object, for Jones, further consideration of the Bill has been postponed, on the repre- it must be admitted that the points sentation of the Hon. Mr. Pollock. We are gratified that this is the submitted are unsatisfactory, Monday, 20th instant.— cannot get together a million case, for the draft regulations call for more consideration than has particularly from the point Becruits on the Cricket Ground dollars in silver? I am afraid been possible during the short period of time which has elapsed of view of the Entente Allies. One at 5.15 p.m. under Instructor you have been telling us lies, since they were drawn up. Quite a number of important points of the statements is to the effect Sergt. Oxberry. Dress: Drill: Mr. Lacas: To tell you the were raised in the speeches yesterday, and it is essential that these that "primarily the fundamental Order. Machine Gun Section at truth, we really have not any should be fully apalysed before the Bill is passed through all its point ought to be the substitution Wellington Barracks at 5.15 p.m. money in silver. Besides, even if stager. Mr. Pollock's chief ples was that the making of the regula- of material force of arms by the Dress: Clean Fatigue. Mounted we had I cannot advance you any. tions which are to apply to the Corps should lie with the Legislative Council, and not the Governor in Council. That is a decidedly there should be an agreement for p.m. Dress; Drill Order. democratic stand, and one which we should much like to see acted a simultaneous and reciprocal Tuesday. 21st instant.—"A" & order from the Governor, no-one apon, if practicable. As Mr. Pollock took occasion to point out, the reduction of armsments, according "B" Coye, Recruits, Machine Gun is allowed to borrow any money Bill effects every able bodied man, and for that reason it would to rules and guarantees, to a Section, Mounted Section and from the Bank. If you are in Mr. seem only right and proper that the representatives of the degree only necessary for the Signallers on the road outside the need of money I would request at public should have a direct voice in settling the conditions upon maintenance of public order in Orderly Room at 5. 15 p.m. Tai- you to approach our Governor. which service in the Corps is based. His Excellency stated that each State, and then the cetablish- koo Section on the Polo Ground at Chang Fun: I understand the regulations could be considered, discussed and criticized, but ment of arbitration providing for 5.30 p.m. Kowloon Dock Section your Governor is not in Peking. we imagine that this hardly meets the demand voiced by Mr. concerted action and penalties at Kowloon Docks at 5.15 p.m. I think you can sign an order on General had invited him to stay Pollock, who is anxious that the Legislative Council should exercise against a State refusing to submit for Tests of Elementary Training, his behalf. executive as well as advisory powers. To carry out his suggestion international questions thereto or Musketry. Dress: Drill Order Mr. Lucse: I am sorry I cannot explained that if Chang. Fun might involve a deal of irksome work, but if members of the to accept its decisions." Doubt- except Kowloon Dock Section, do that. Council are willing to discharge that work, why should they be less this will be realisable when which may parade in plain clothes. Chang Fan: You see, if I had with him further he would call discouraged? Moreover, the patriotic instincts of the members once President Wilson's League Officers and N.C O.s will continue money I would be able to begin at Chang's residence on the would be a guarantee that in using their power they would merely of Nations scheme gets into work- conducting the tests laid down in fighting to-morrow. I am bound following day, and that he must have in mind the welfare and usefulness of the Corps. However, ing order, but in the meantime it parss 297:239 Chap. IV. Musketry to win, as I have more than go home then, as he was hungry, the United States Consul, the His Excellency is not prepared to consider the suggestion put for all sounds much too impracticable, Regulations Part 1, 1909, (Reprint 30,000 [well-trained soldiers in] Liu: We have prepared food ward, and, while this is rather to be regretted, everyone must admit Probably after the war a serious 1914) Copies of the parse, referred Henchow who would arrive here for you here. his extreme fairness in laying the draft regulations on the table and attempt will be made to realise to may be obtained on application very soon. You need not be alraid Mr. Lucis: But I eat differently in granting an adjournment in order that they may be more fully something animated by this spirit at the Orderly Room. Every man, of my losing at all. considered. Perhaps one of the biggest questions raised by the of "sweet ressonableness," but including exempted members, Mr. Luces: I understand that food. creation of the new force is the matter of the officering of the Corps, at present it still seems a long must strend this parade. The Attorney General intimated that the Volunteers and Reserves way off. His Holiness' remark Wednesday, 22nd instant,—Nil. and Hauchowfu is broken. Besides, we can send for it from the Hotel will be incorporated bodily into the Defence Corps, the members of regarding the "real liberty and Thursday, 23rd instant.— even if your troops from Henchow de Peking. which will have the same ranks as they now hold. This may, as was freedom of the seas" will be un. Becruite on the Cricket Ground, could come here, they will not Mr. Lucas: If the General A correspondent in New York remarked, save a lot of time and trouble, but it is doub'ful whether intelligible to Britons. The seas at 5.15 p.m. under Instructor by sufficient to fight the really wants to keep me here he who saw the reference in a London it is the best course that could be followed. Judging from the are as free to-day as they can Sergt. Oxberry. Dress: Drill Or- Republicans, who I hear have will raise a diplomatic question. paper to the paragraph suggesting draft regulations, however, this will only be a temporary arrangepossible be—free to all nations; der. Signalling Section: "A" & mobilized something like 160,000 I do not mind the inconvenience that the American troops should ment, for it is laid down that officers will be required to pass the and the claptrap that has led to so "B" Classes will parade at troops to fight against you. As to myself, but I am afraid the be called "Sammies" asys that prescribed examination for their particular rank. We can only hope much confusion on this subject Happy Valley for Station Work the forces are so unequal, I do friendly relations between our two many newspapers are endeavourthat this proposal will be strictly enforced, in the interests of the seems to arise from nothing more Fall in at Monument 5 30 p.m. not think you will be able to countries will be impaired. general efficiency of the Corps.

There are a number of other points which yet await elecidation, Gremane, noting that the British Headquarters at 5 30 pm. Dress: Chang Fun: But you must manage to get some money for mass of correspondence "Teddies" one of which is the question of qualification for long service medals, Navy is all-powerful, foolishly Clean Fatigue. Mounted Section know that I can recruit more the General to-morrow? which we were pleased to see raised by Mr. Pollock. On the quest conclude that the British look on the Polo Ground at 5:30 p.m. troops. tion of the duration of compulsory service, we think His Excollency upon the matter in the same light Dress : Drill Order. struck the right note when he referred to the inadvisability of n- as they (the Germans) would do Friday, 24th instant -"A" there is much time for you to do ment of me is far from being American. The one pet name verting to pre-war voluntariem. The war has taught us a sharp were they able to attain navel and "B". Coys and Recruits on that, lesson on that point, and, after profiting from the experience of the superiority. This, likewise, is a the road outside the Orderly Chang Fon: That is not the land it to punch of the militant United part three years, it would be the height of folly to take a backward striking illustration of the funds. Room at 515 p.m. Taikoo Section point I want to discuss with you. your General either. I, as a Statement is Teddy." Another step in this regard. The maximum age (55 years) is high, especially mental difference between the ca, the Polo Ground at 5 30 r.m. Now can you let me have \$500. foreigner, am not afraid of death. says, "Theodore Rooteyelt is in a climate like that of Hongkong, and it would certainly seem characters of the two peoples. Kowloon Dock Section at Kow- 000? If you persist in refusing Therefore, you had better let me the representative figure in reasonable that, after the war, compulsion should only apply to the Hie Holiness is in favour of the loon Dicks at 5.15 p.m. for Tests you will know that I have a way go home at once. It is no use at the New World. We all love younger men. His Excellency has very straightforwardly given evacuation of Belgium and of of Elementary Training Musketry, of dealing with you. an undertaking that the Bill shall come up for fresh discussion other territory occupied by Dress; Drill Order except Kowloon Mr. Lacas; I can on no condi- So saying, Mr. Lacas; I can on no condi- So saying, Mr. Lacas; I can on no condiwithin six months of the signing of peace, and no doubt points like Germany, and of the Allies Dock Section, which may parade tion advance you any money, and walked to the Acce. Lin and et and a tends as a world these can then be considered and dealt with. The Bill promises returning the German colonies, in plain clothes, Every man Personally I would request you to pointed out that there was no symbol for the kind of patriotism. well for the fature, provided the new Corps is administered on com- Other similar suggestions are including exempted members ran away, otherwise you will not motor car for him at the gate, Mr. virility, and dash that will make mon-sense lines. No Britisher worthy of the name objects to doing made, the majority, if not all, of must attend this parade. his share in the defence of the Colony, in war-time or in peace. But which are not likely to commend he likes to feel that what he is called upon to do is serving some themselves to the Allies, who know useful purpose. "In the past he has not always had that happy con- that an immediate perce is not so soloneness. He will have it in the future if this new reorganisation corestial to them as it is to is transferred to the Signalling morrow. In the meantime you can and told the chasten to drive let us hope the Receius Ivans scheme is developed as thoroughly as it should be. Germany.

The Western Offensive.

It is distinctly cheering to read of the new Allied offensive on the Western Front. As yet the opers- JUST tions are not complete, but so far IN THE DUST.—Shirley. as they have gone they have served to demonstrate once again our general superiority over the Command knows the nature of the sobeme which the Angle-French armies have in hand, but the frequent recurrence of these on the steady gains which they in will be found on Page 1. variably secure must, in the long run, materially alter the strategic the decisive theatre of the war. dra Buildings, In the latest attacks, there is reported to the Police on July mands are working in the blosset was \$1,200 possible harmony. The Germans, their policy of striking at their son Road, reports to the Police foes as often as occasion offers, that between the hours of 7 p.m. but the difference between our on the 15th, and 8 s.m. on the attacks and theirs lies in the 16th, some person stole from the objectives in view, whereas the hat stand, valued at \$25, and enemy in his uncertainty as to the one antique placque, valued at sim we are driving at, merely \$12 seeks to ascertain what is going on on the opposite side of " No Man's Land." This fact, taken with the readiness of the enemy to labour was passed by Mr surrender, and the other circum- J. B. Wood, at the Magistracy tostance that mere boys form a large day, on a Chinese who was

To-day's telegrams contain the writes as a Neutral and also that that, if acted upon, they are not Orderly Officer, Lieut. E. Evan them:moral force of right, from which Section at Polo Ground at 5.30 as according to the regulations of nor less than the fact that the and "O" class at Volunteer secure a victory.

DAY BY DAY.

ONLY THE ACTIONS OF THE

To-morrow's Auniversary. To-morrow is first anniversary of the British offensive along enemy. No-one outside the High front of aleven miles from This post to Guillemont.

The Dollar. The opening rate of the dollar demand to-day thrusts is most inspiring, while 2s.11.1/8d. The closing rate-

Stolen Paper Recovered. In connection with the theft o situation on what will always be 154 reams of paper from Alaxauample evidence of Angle-French 24, the police have now recovered co-operation, and it is evident that 64 teams, to the value of \$512. the British and French Com- The value of the paper stolen

A Theff in the Night. we read, are also maintaining Mr. J. P. Brugs, of 37, Robin-

> Robbed While Watching Conjuring. "

Sentence of three months' bard part of the German prisoners charged with picking the pocket taken, gives a fair index of the of a fellow country man and outlook of the opposing armies, stealing a purse. The robbed man

VOLUNIEER RESERVE ORDERS.

proposals of peace. His Major Wakeman, Commanding Chao-chung were already there,

.Parades.

Saturday, 25th instant. - Nil. longer. Transfere

ECHO OF THE RESTORATION.

SMELL SWEET AND BLOSSOM Chang Fun's Shortage of Money.

The following story connected At Thames Police Court, with Chang Fun's Restoration of June 25, before Mr. Cancellor, the Manchu Emperor, taken from five. Chinese were charged with the Cheschung Pao, relating to keeping and conducting bard up for money.

was restored to the thropr. Chang found all the delendants Fan began to feel the pinch of the the shop counting money financial situation. Ho ordered On a table in a rorm Governor of the Benk of China black and white beads and for the advance of certain same of cards need in playing "fantan." Governor for a loan.

and Manager of the Bank had fled on two houses in the Chinese open up hig possibilities in quarters but straight for Chang labour, four men for whom a ship when the Atlantic is first crossed Fun's house. When they were at was waiting were fined 40s. each, it will be by roundabout routes. the gate, Mr. Lucas refused to and the remainder, with the enter. Liu told him that Generals exception of two who were dis-Order No. 46, issued to-day by Wu Ping-heiang and Chiang charged, were fined £10 each. so he allowed himself to be led to a room in the closely, guarded

> Chang Fun: How is it that a great bank like the Bank of China

> Chang Fun came out with a

the Bank, except with a written

communication between Peking

etay here for a few days.

CHINESE FINED.

Cases at London and Liverpool.

Mr. Lucia's (Deputy Manager of gaming house at Penny Celds, the Bank of China) interesting Poplar; and five others were experience will serve to show that obarged with having been found the Hauchowia War Lord was on the premises. Superintendent Boxall stated that when he raided Soon after the Manchu Emperor | the premi es on June 23 instructions to be given to the the rear of the shop were money, offering as security the Tred to the banker's seat was a then proposed that Edinburgh payments to the Imperial Family thick niece of bambor, inside on the Favourable Treatment which he found money. He also the suggestion was ruled out, on Agreement. These instructions found a revolver, so sucomatic the argument that the Scots were were utterly ignored and as the pistol, and £323. Mr. Cancellor much-needed money was not fined the owner £100, the manaforthcoming, a man named Liu, ger \$50, and the three others one of Chang Fun's side-de- concerned in the principal charge petition. camps, was sent on the 11th at each £25. The men charged noon to the Head Office of the with being on the premises were

gaming houses.

TYPHOON WARNING.

received by the American Con- an aviator 1,000st. high could sulate General, Hongkong, from locate the Azores 100 miles away the Manila Observatory at 10 by means of the summit of Pico, conversation passed between p.m. yesterday:--

Long. E. and 17 degrees Lat. N., tive route, with stages well within moving W. N. W.

received at 10 a.m. to-day:-Cyclone or typhoon E. of Nor- way of Greenland. thern Luzon, less than 300 miles dietant, moving W. N. W. or

After saying this, Chang Fun retired to his private room, but Lucas was greatly angered hearing the threat imprison him. He wanted to return home, but Liu urged him to remain, on the plea that the with him for a few days. wanted to discuss the question

from you. I cannot est Chinese

Liu: If you want foreign food

all keeping me here.

be able to live in this world any Lucas replied, that he was used the American soldier what he in · Chang Fun: I will show you room. When he got to the gate fields of Europe." Anyhow, our No. 85 Pie. 11. H. J. Gomperts the result of our fighting to- he entered Chang Jun's motor car Tommies, the Yearch poiles, and him home,

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

The Corporation of the Uity of

London has decided to present a pelition at the Bar of the House of Commons arging reprisals for air raide. I he privilege of precenting petitions at the Bar is confined to the Corporations of London and Dublin. As regards London, the Sheriffs make the presentation, but a case occurred in 1840 when, both Sheriffs being in the custody of the Sergeant at Arms, a petition was presented at the Bar by the Lord Mayor, an Alderman, and several members of the Common Council. Dublin was granted the right to red petition at the Ber, through the Lord Mayor, in 1813, and it was should have the same right, but too prudent a people to spend money on sending a Lord Provost 400 miles to London to present a

Lord Montagu's air routes for fact that we have definite ball of his residence one banging Bank of China to "see" the bound over not to frequent general and commercial flying after the war, in casy stages of Unfortunately, both the Governor As the result of a police raid not more than 700 miles each, to Tientsin and only Mr. Lucas quarter of Liverpool, seventeen serial navigation. As he shows. was left to manage the business. Chinese were charged at the there are landing-places available As Liu had received orders to take Liverpool City Police Court on slong practically every conceiv. to Chang Fun's house the June 21, under Delence of the able route eastward and south. executive chief of the Bank, he Realm Regulations, with being ward from the British Islee, even went to Mr. Lucas seking him to in unlawful possession of opium, to far-off Australia But what accompany him to the General's and with aiding and abetting in about America? The westresidence in his motor car. Mr. the offence. The police stated that ward route is over the Lucas first objected to going, but in almost every room in the houses Atlantic, and the shortest land-toon being told that he could first Chinese were found either land stage by anything like a see General Wu Ping-heising before smoking opium or in possession direct route-from the island of going to Chang Fun's residence, of the drug. The owner of the Valentia, Co. Karry, to Newhe consented: The motor-car, premises was fined £50. One foundland—is 1,890 miles, and however, did not make for man, previously convicted, was that is beyond the powers of General Wo Ping heian's Head- sentenced to two months' hard seroplanes at present. Probably

> One such route would be southwest from Valentis to the Azores, about 1,160 miles, north-west to .. Nawfoundland (1,200 miles), and thence to New York (L106 The telegram quoted below was miles). With a powerful glass which stands 7,800ft, above the Typhoon in about 125 degrees level of the Atlantic. An alternathe 700 mile limit, would be from The following telegram was the north of Scotland to Iceland. sud thence to Newfoundland by

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ing to arrive at the most appro-Lin: Do you think you can prists and endearing name. From a seems to be the popular choice. Mr. Lucas: I cannot promise at "Sammy," says one writer, "does Mr. Lucas: I do not think all. I must say that your treat not fit the typical adventurous polite. If there were money in that symbolises all the push and him-for the enemies he has to walking, and rushed out of the and what he will be on the battlewill give the Toldies the

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Hankow Piece Goods Report. The weekly circular of the Hankow British ... Chamber of Commerce of August 1, reports as foll ws on the yarn and piece goods markel:-Yarn prices show a further advance. Some clearances have been effected as a result of pressure. Piece Goods prices are practically unchanged and clearance, have been poor. There has been a good demand for st cks at increasing prices and a certain amount of business is reported in dyed goods and.

fencies at high figures. Japan's Acti ities in South In providing certain classes goods for South Africa, it was not necessary for Japan to wait until hosti ities began to oust the Germans. In many lines of Kaffir. truck, for example, the market was originally dominated by the United Kingdom. In the course of time German chespness drove cut the British article. Then the Italians ejected the Germans, and finally the Japanese were left in possession of a very considerable portion of the trade. This is a kind of t-ade that Japan may readily hold and extend, and there are other d partments of commerce in which its cheap labour will make competition difficult. Labour conditions may. for instance, he'p material'y in marketing low-class cotton goods and similar articles in constant demand by natives and Asiatics in South and Br.tish East Africa. Japan has recently imported large quantities of spinning machinery from the United Kingdom, and has also manufactu ed a good deal of machinery, sithat a considerably increased output will shortly make itself apparent. For this increased output South Africa will supply a large and ready" market, at any rate, while the war lasts; and it is hardly probable that Japan has made the recent large additions to its spinning, machinery equipment. with the dema d occasioned by the war alone in contemplation. With characteristic enterprise, J.pan has recently had a business commission in South Africa

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cial interests were all represented on it, and its members neglected no opportunity of familiarising themselves with what South Africa wants with a view to what . Japan can supply. The following articles Japan is prepared to furnish now on reasonable terms: -Apparelland slops, basket ware, brush ware, cotton piece goods, blankets and shawls (cotton for native trade), cheap cotton hosiery and underclothing, beads, shell bangles looking-glasses, silk handkerchiefs, shoe laces. towelling, suit cases (fibre and glass), collar boxes, carpet squares and rugs (of flax and hair in the cheaper grades). silk piecegoods, kimones (silk and cotton,) morning gowns and jackets (for women's wear), table covers. tea cosies, straw mattin. Lac-I. quer ware, antimony ware, glassware (mostly bottles and tumblers), vacuum flasks, fi e and draught screens, brass ware (in-> cluding finger bows, ash trays, and ornaments), paper napkins, electric-lamp shades, imitation Panama hats. -drawn work." chiraware, toys, oak timber for cabinet making, and superphosph.tes. In 1911 Japan sent to Bouth Africa goods valued at £97,000; in 1915 it supplied £220 000 worth; and in the first six months of 1916 the value was £198 000. This great increase has taken place in spite of shipping arrangements, which have been admittedly inadequate. A regular direct service between Japan and South Africa is now maintained by a British line and a Japanese line. The Nippon Yusen Keisha and other lines are largely engaged in the carrying trade to South Africa, and it. is probable that existing cargo facilities between the two countries will be greatly extended in the near future. The voyage from Japan to South African ports however, is always a doubtful venture, since there is little return cargo although brders have recently been. placed in South Africa for wool, wine. asbostos, and a few other products. Goods are also taken from Japan to Calcutta and transhipped at the later rort for South Africa, but in the main it may be said that Japan has doubled i's trade with South Africa when freights are high when there is an unexampled

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THE WAR SITUATION.

Mr. Lleyd George's Cheering Speech.

London, August 16. Mr. Lloyd George, in an important speech in the House Police Court this morning, Inof Commons, dwelt on several aspects of the war situation. He spector Kent charging his late first referred to the food position; which was very considerably servant. improved since the early year. In August last year, there was _ Inspector Kent stated that on a stock of six and a half million quarters of wheat in the country, July 30 the boy asked for leave but now there was eight and a half-(Cheers). Oats and and he was told that he could go Private Secretary that the names before Mr. Dyer Ball, at barley were also higher. There had been a considerable saving in the next day after tiffin if he rebread consumption, while the acreage under cultivation had turned by six o'clock. Soon after finngarian merchants or firms. The case was first before the increased by a million scree. If the harvest was as good as 11 o'clock the next day the boy it promised to be, then the condition of the country as regards food asked Mrs. Kent if he could go, at supplies, after taking everything inte account, was very satisfactory, and was told to wait until after Hajesty's petronage. The list of sining whether a precedent could Company, There was still argent economy necessary, because the more we tiffin. In spite of this, the boy those removed is as follows:economised the less we should need from Canada and the United left at once, without preparing States, from which countries France and Italy also drew supplies. tiffin, and did not return until There was an increase in the augur reserve. Eight thousand yesterday, when he came back would be available in the spring. The for his wages. The boy had been German Admiralty was circulating figures of destroyed shipping with them for about seven couths throughout the Central Empires, with the object of cheering up the and was earning \$12 a month. Austro-Germans by creating the impression that England could not Defendant stated that he heard last much longer. The Germans claimed that we were losing half that his sister at Xaumati had a million tons a month, after allowing for the new construction of been taken seriously ill and he Bangkok. ships. We lost 560,000 tons gross in April, but the gross wanted to go there. He only losses in July were reduced to 320,000 tons.—(Cheers), intended being sway for a lew August looked like being better-(Cheers). If the present hours, but his sister asked him to improvement continued, the net loss for July and August would go to the country with her. "He Lenz and Co. be at the rate of 175,000 tons a month. These figures showed that sent a substitute. the Admiralty was meeting with considerable success. The Ship Inspector Kent remarked that on Main. ping Controller had so re-organised shipping by means of better they had never seen a substitute. loading, the hiring of ships more quickly, and the taking of ships Defendant's) wife had called for Hamburg. off longer voyages, that he had been able to secure, although we the wages due, but he had rehad a diminished tonnage, that we were now carrying more tons,

THE RUSSO-RUMANIAN FRONT.

London, August 16,

A German official wireless message states: - Northward of for about eight days. Stracani and Panciu, Russo-Rumanian attacks failed. We dislodged the enemy from the west bank of the Sereth, taking 3,554 prisoners and sixteen gues.

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ENEMY ADVANCE ON RUSSIAN FRONT.

London, Aug. 15.

A German official wireless report states: Russian attacks south-castward of Tarnopol and southward of the Trotus Valley failed. We pushed beyond Soveja. We are pursuing the retreating enemy on both sides of the Putna. We stormed the Baltareta bridgehead on the west bank of the Screth capturing 3,000 prisoners and several guns.

THE RUSSIAN IMPERIAL FAMILY.

Petrograd, Aug. "15.

The "Bourse Gazette" says that the Imperial family has been sent to Serbia by a special train accompanied by two members of the Government and military guards. It appears that the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates insistedon the removal of the ex-Tsar, the Tsaritza and the Tsarevitch from Tsarskoe Selo to a more remote part of The ex Tsar's daughters were given the choice of remaining in Petrograd but elected to accompany their

U. S. EXPORTS.

The President's Restriction Proclamation.

 Washington, July 8 — The full text of the President's proclamstion restricting exports, which was iested to-day, ie ae follows:-

acted, and the President has in violation of any of the provisions: "Whenever, during the any such vessel out of port or from present war, the President shall the jurisdiction of the United find that the public safety shall so States shall be fined not more than require and shall make proclams. | \$10,000, or imprisoned not more tion thereof, it shall be unlawful than two years, or both; and in to export from, or ship from or addition such vessel, her tackle. take out of the United States to apparel, furniture, equipment and any country named in such pro- her forbidden cargo shall be for cianuation any article or articles | feited to the United States. mentioned in such proclams. tion, except at such time requires that auccor shall be or times, and under such regula- prevented from reaching the tions and orders and aubject to enemy. anch limitations and exceptions as the President shall prescribe Wilson, President of until otherwise ordered by the United States of America, do Club. President or by Congress: provid- hereby proclaim to all whom ed, however, that no preference it may concern that, except sessions or protectorates; Gershall be given to the ports of one at such time or times, and under many, her colonies, possessions State over those of another.

ship, or take out, or deliver or exceptions as the President shall protectorates; Greece, Guatemals, attempt to deliver for expert, prescribe until otherwise ordered Haiti. anipment, or taking out, any by the President or by Congress, her colonies, possessions article in violation of this title or the following articles, namely: protectorates; Japan of any regulation or order made Coal, coke, fuel oils, kerosene beris, Lichtenstein, Luxembourg, anxions to establish themselves in hereunder, shall be fined not and gasoline, including bunkers; Mexico, Monaco, Monaco, Monaco, Monaco, Bangkok, and the opportunity establishings Provisional Govern- (men detailed by Sergi more then \$10,000 or, if a na- food grains, flour and meet Morocco, Nepal, Nicaragua, the likely to offer shortly is one that likely to offer shortly is one that limit in Caston should be more than two years, or both; and and fate, pig iron, steel billets, sions or protectorates; Norway, very long time. The outlook for saltered. any article so delivered or ship plates and structural shapes, Oman, Panama, Paraguay, Persia; British shipping now and in the exported, shipped or taken out, scrap iron and scrap steel, ferro- Peru, Portugal, her colonies, or so attempted to be delivered or manganese, fertilizers, ammuni- possessions or protectorates; any time since the Holt exported, shipped, or taken out, tion and explosives shall Rumania, Russia, Salvador, San Scottish Oriental boats were sold. shall be seized and forfeited to not on and after the Marino, Serbia, Siam, Spain, her the United Buttes; and any officer, fifteenth day of July, 1917, colonies, possessions or protectordirector or agent of a corporation be carried out of or experted sten; Sweden, Switzerland, In the International Borispah with be imported from Japan. who participates in any each from the United States or its Uruguay, Venezuela or Turkey. Court this morning the Police violation shall be liable to like persuorial possessions to Abys. The orders and regulations from charged an Indian with refusing

able cause to believe that any Belgium, her colonies, posses authority of the Secretary of to hold conversation with an yessel, domestic or foreign, in sions or protectorates, Bolivia, Commerce, from whom licenses Indian watchman in the comshout to carry out of the United Brazil, Bulgaria, China, Chile, in conformity with the said orders pound of the Austro-Hangarian the compound. States any article or articles in Jolombia, Costa Rica, Oube, and regulations will issue. Legation. violation of the provisions of this Donmark, her colonies, possess. In witness whereof, I have violation of the provisions of this Definite, the collector of customs for stone or protectorates; hereunto set my hand and caused warnings on the part of the Police ments for gazading the Legation Orderly Officer from 19th to Lecturar to the United States to be compound.

Section M. G. Company.

Griderly Officer from 19th to Lecturar to the United States to be compound. is located is hereby Egypt, France, her colonies, post affixed.

empowered, authorized and subject to review by the Scoretary of Commerce, to refuse clearance not required by law, to forbid the the departure of such from the port, and it shall thereupon be unlawful Whereas Congress had en for such vessel to depart, Whoever. the following pro- or authorise the "taking of August 29.

And whereas, the public safety

"Any person who shall export, and ject to such limitations and her colonies, possessions

fine or imprisonment, or both. |sinia, Afgusnistan, Aluents, time to time prescribed will be to obey the lawful orders of the "Whenever there is a reason Argentina, Austria Hungary, administered by and under the Police, who had forbidden him

TOOK FRENCH LEAVE.

An independent Cook-Boy. The case of a cook-boy leaving his employ without notice was Removing Enemy Names from before Mr. J. R. Wood at the

fused to pay her, saking for the Heidelberg. boy to come himself. The boy was a good boy, but they had Heidelberg. been put to a great deal of inconvenience. They had no boy

His Worship ordered the defendant to forfeit the month's wages owing to him, and to pay a fine of \$1.

POLICE RESERVE ORDERS.

Orders issued to-day by Mr. T. Tatien Dispensery. F. Hough, A.S.P. (Beserve) etate:-

Company Parades. The following parades will take place at Central Station. Uniform will not be worn. Fall in at 5,45

Monday, August 20.—No. 3 Company. Tuesday, August 21.—No. 2 Platoon and Ambulance Platoon.

Station. Wednesday, August 22.-No.1 Dispensary.

Section." Thursday, August 23.—No. 2

Company. No exemption from these these parades is to be granted except by Siamese surname of Velanond,

the undersigned. Band, Practices at 6 p.m. Monday, August 20: Wednesto any such vessel, domestic or day. August 22; Thursday. foreign, for which clearance is August 23. Orchestra Practice on 20 h and Music Class on the 23rd instant are hereby cancelled. Drummer and Buglers at 6.30

on the 15th day of June, visions of this section shall needey, August 22; Monday, the Western front, has been 1917, approved a law which take, or attempt to take, August 27; and Wednesday, brought back to England and is

> Strength. Joined .- No. 2 Section, P. C. Wiltehire. 66 1. F. W. G. Clark. Mounted. Section, P. C. 703 W. E. Roberta. No. 2 Company,

During the absence of Inspector | these will taken over by Inspector Silva values of the same 'may Notice as from August 20. Inspection, Thursday, August.

The attention of all Chief and Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Staff Inspectors is called to a

buch regulations and orders and or protectorates; Great Britain,

SIAM IN THE WAR.

Royal Lists.

ennouncement by His Majesty's path, was the subject of a case all Garman and Austro- Magistracy this morning.

Otto Bolbringger, photograph- tion.

Louis Frederick photographer. Dresden. Wilhelm Skards, export merch-J. R. Andre, commission agent.

er, Waisburg.

Leonardt E. Groote, manager,

Lowenthal, jeweller, Frankfort Bundmann. florist.

Robert Herbost, photographer,

Edward Schulze, photographer, Hermann Siegel, shoemaker, Berlin

B. Grimm and Co., merchants Bangkok F. O. Schumann, merchants. to get struck in the face with the

Branswick Rejakarn, Samosorn Bangkok · Manager, (Laughter.) Mannsfeldt,

Wilhelm Muller, photographer,

von der Sipen and Charlier. carriage builders, Kola-Deutz The same Gazette contains a notification by the Private Secretary of Her Majesty the Queen Mother that the names of the following firms have been removed from the list of those patronage :- Robert Lens and August 16:-

items. Mr. G. F. Webler, being no longer a Stamese subject, loses the

Mr. C. Kramer has his eldest son fighting for the Germans at Pinak, where he has been stationed for some time. His second is at the City of London School, and two of his daughters re being educated in England.

Lieut. Victor Bush, son of the late Admiral Bush, who has been Monday, August 20:-Wed- serving in the Flying Corps on now acting as Flight Master at the flying school at Upavon in

A number of interned alien Trooper 680 J. H. N. Mody. No. 1 enemy subjects hold life insurance policies in British Companies. particulars 🛒 Presumbly be communicated A.E.S. Alves on leave, the com- to the Custodian of Enemy Promand of No. 2 Company will be perty in order that the surrender obtained.

Captain H. W. Perace, M.C., formerly of the Siam Forest Co. Ld. has according to the mail papers been promoted to rank of the Notice posted at Headquarters Major and been awarded a bar to bring his Military Oross. He has been scling as second in command of

is battalion. Considera ble interest is aroused as to the eventual disposal of the river sites, previously held by the enemy aliens as well as the lature of previously owned German tonnage. It is stated that well known Chins coast firm are Hungary by the Peking Governis not likely to recur again for a near future is brighter than at Talkative Indian.

the compound and beld a conver- compound.

BAMBOO HAT NUISANCE.

Interesting Point Reised in Court.

The numeros caused by Chinese A Gasette inseed in Bangkok coolies wearing large bamboo sted the let inst. contains an hate, whilst walking on the foot-

be found for recording a convic-

could find no conviction. His Worship:—It is much the

same thing as carrying an ambrells on the footpath. Is to carry an open umbrella an offence? Inspector Kent, who was in Court, said that it was. It had 8, 17. Robt always been considered so on narrow footpaths under versudaha. He had had a conviction some

years ago for a bamboo hat. His Worship said that they had not been able to find it.

twelve or thirteen years ago. told to take it off, they usually do. | 24th August, 1917. His Worship:—Really it is as much an inconvenience to the man wearing it as to the others.

His Worship:—Well, he has got to dodge his head about.

The defendant was discharged with a caution.

CANTON AFFAIRS.

Canton correspondent honoured with Her Majesty's writes as follows under date of

Co., J. R. Andre, B. Grimm and In view of the fact that the Also No. 2 Section at Water Police Co., Graehlert (incorporated in Peking Government is keeping the firm of B. Grimm), and Tation an eye on military developments in Szechnen and Hunan, Son Yatsen has consulted with Cheng Belchers Battery. At 5.30 p.m. Pik-kwong and others at Whampos. It has been decided that a Ministry of War must first be created to decide the question of assisting Hunan and also the matter of sending an expedition to the North. The question of Southern Provisional Government is to be decided when the Parliament is reopened. It has also been decided to request Lak Wing-ting to be the head of both the military and naval forces.

> a telegram to effect has been sent to Luk. A telegraphic order has been received by the Provincial Authority from the Peking Government stating that war has been declared on Germany and Austria-Hungary and that all enemy property and business in Kwangtung should be taken over by the local Government. Proper officials should be appointed to carry out this order and a statement must be made to Peking as to what has been done. It is doubtful

whether this order will be obeyed Chan Kai-yn has decided to send Lieutenent General Li Tinpo as commander-in-chief nine battalions, cluding cavalry, artillery

infantry, to reinforce Hunan Sun Yat-sen has asked the Parliamentary members who have already arrived to hold a meeting Grimes, Edmonds, and Edgoumbe 18th, to consider whether, in view Section "A" and "B" classes at of the fact that war has been Happy Valley (Heliograph and declared on Germany and Austria. Flag Station work.)

Repairs are being made to the Whampos dock in order that it may be need by the Northern and Squadron, Many boilermakereand engineers have been secured from Hongkong and the steel and iron each unit sending men will Danby, Mrs. Brotherton Harker

VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

Corps Orders issued to-day by Captain J.H.W. Armstrong, V.D.,

Pts. P.S. Lims joined the Corps on 13.8.17, is allotted Corps No. 2103 and posted to Right Section the M.G. Co.

Pre. W. H. Bredin joined the have been removed from the list Court yesterday, but it was ad- Corps on 13.8.17, is allotted Corps those honopred with His journed for the purpose of secent. No. 2104 and posted to Scouts

> Attached. Private G. Dumbarton, Shang-Inspector Brown stated that he hai Scottish, S.V.O., is attached to Lambert, had searched the records and Scouts Coy, from 30th July, 1917.

> > Lieut. L. O. P. Rees is granted 6 weeks' leave, from 18 8, 17. No. 1590 Pte. J. N. R. Allan ie granted 2 months' leave, from 15.

No. 2004 Pte. T. J. Fisher is Mr. F. G. Becke, granted 1 month's leave, from 24. 8. 17.

Panishment.

No 1785 Pte. L. M. Franco has W. E. L. Shenton .-Inspectr Kent:—It was about been awarded defaulter's drills List No. 3: in marching order (without am- The Oil Kinge His Worhip: -Yee; these sort munition), for neglect of duty, W.N., E.W.P., G.A.P., of things don't happen very often. as under:—At Headquarters at Inspector Kent: When they are 5.30 p.m. on 13th, 17th, 20th and Engineer Company.

Detail of duties at Lyeeman from 17th to 31st August, 1917, is Inspector Kent:-It is not nice posted at Headquarters.

Parades.

Monday 20th instant.—At 5.10 p.m. Centre Section M. G. Co., drill at Kowloon Dock. Hongkong Residents proceed by launch from Statue Wharf at 4.30 p.m. At 5.30 p.m. Artillery Bettery at Belchere Battery; Right Section M. G. Co. and Scouts Company at Head- RAR. G.E.T. at quarters under unit Commanders (Tests of Elementary Training): J Mounted Section at Jockey Club Stables; Recruits of all units on Murray Parade Ground under Corple. Grimes, Edgcumbe and

Edmonds and Los-Corpl. Meade. J. H. B. K. M. C., at Tuesday 21st instant.—At 7.10 a.m. Scouts Company M.G. A.R.A. W.B. J.R.K. Detachment at Headquarters. At 7.30 a.m. Belchere 6' Section at G. B. L. R. W. M. Artillery Battery (Rauge Takers only) at Beichers Battery: Left Section M.G. Co. and Civil Service Company at Beauquasters under unit Commander (Section drill); Stretcher Bester Section at Headquarters; Signalling Section "A" and "B" classes at Happy Valley Moore, L S at \$1 ...

Wednesday 22nd instant.—At | W. E. L. S. 5.30 p.m. Right Section M G. Co. and Scouts Company at Headquarters under unit Commanders

7.10 s.m. Sconts Company M. G. Detachment at Headquarters, At 7.30 a.m. Belchers 6" Section (Layers class only) at Belchers Battery. At 5.30 p.m. Artillery Battery (Layers and Setters only) at Belchers Battery; Monnted Section at Jockey Club Stubles.

Friday 24th instant,-At 7.30 1,500 Cigarettes sent a.m. Beichers 6" Section (Bange Takers class and Gun Numbers as detailed, only) at Balchera Battery. At 5 30 p.m. Artillery Battery (Gun Numbers other than to specialists) at Beichers Battery: Right Section M. G. Co. at Headquarters under unit Commander (Tests of Elementary Training); Recruits of all units on Murray Parade Ground under Corpls. the reception half on the and Loe-Corpl Meade; Signalling

> detailed by Sergt Major Ramsay) at Headquarters (Musketry instruction.) .At 4.30 p.m Special Parade at Headquarters for members of the Corps (Infantry) unable to attend drills held recently, the following ordered on 20th, 21st, 22nd and candidates were encorreful;-24th instant. One N. C. O. from 4th. Examination.—Mrs. J. D. attend.

Detail. M. G. Co. and Civil Service Com- Let. Exemination. - Mrs. Alspany; 20th, Centre Section M. G. baster, Miss. May Objeholm. Company; 21st, Sconts Company; Miss Allson Hastings, Mrs. Haysation with the watchman inside 22nd, Scouts Company; 23rd, mard and Mrs. Loack. Right Section M. G. Company; The examiner reports that the Acensed was remanded in case 24th, Left Sec. M.G. Co. & Civil practical work of the condidates

CIGARETTE & TOBACCO FUND.

Latest Subscription List.

The following is the Subscription List to date: Acknowledged to 7th July, 1917... \$22,683.44 Since received :-Bank Interest. Hangkong Police Reserve: Part pro-

coocia of tale of boxing gloves to Mr. Potter at the Assault at Arms held on 19th May Members Kowloon Mr. O. D. Gander July/August ...

Customs Staff, per "A Bridge Meg"-M. S. S. August Sabecription ... Whampoa, August Subscription Collected by Mrs.

G.C.M., F.G., at GTE. T.J.F. A.W.L.B., G.E.S. F. A. W. S. W. J. Mc H., B. S. N., N.S.M.

J.V.H., J.P., G.H. EJ.W., W.H.S. **▲**'8... A.BS., P.T., K. de C.L., C.B.B., P.P., HH, A.M.P., C.P.H.H., G.S.A.,

RS., LNL, W. & H. J.S.D. at \$5.00 84.00 H.R., B.K., J.B.

E. A., P. H. H., W. 8. J. W. T., H. W.K., G. M. S., at \$3.00.

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F. W. J., D J. F., E. M. F., A. D G., O. H. D., R. G. H., H. W. D., H. J. N., T. R. C. K. A. W., H. E. M., A. S. L., B. T. B., T.C.D., W.J.H. G. A. T., at \$2.00.

(Heloigraph and Fiag Station Donations Fan Tan" Anonymous

(Tests of Elementary Training.) Thursday 23rd instant.—At Expended to July 7., \$22,515.33 Since expended .-3rd Aug. 200,000 Cigactives sent to the troops at the Front \$ 586,48 .500 Oigarettes Lent to Bev. Hestings for Naval Ratings in

Hongkong to troops in Matilda Hospital ... 0,000 Cigarettes sent to the troops at the Poak ... Balance on hand-\$ 79,49

W. L. DOWLEY, Hon. Sec. and Tressurer. Hongkong, August 16th, 1917.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION.

At an examination in first aid

and Miss W. Wilkinson. 2nd. Examination, -- Vra. W. On duty 19th instant, Left Sec. Armstrong and Mrs. Murray Scott.

25th instant, Long, J.D. Donby, McLoun Gibson as Hot Lines

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE PRAISES THE WORKERS.

London, Aug. 15. Speaking at the luncheon given by the Liberal War Committee to Mr. Holman, the Premier of New South Wales, in the House of Commons, Mr. Lloyd George said we must not forget that the progress made in the war, the mile by mile by which we had beaten back the enemy, was due not only to the valour of the soldiers but to the energy of the workers, which had given us superiority of munitions and equipment. All honour to the workers. We were fighting for the victory of democracy over aggression. All other things wrapped up in party programmes were unattainable unless we won.

Under the constitution no section of the community had as large an interest in the victory of the Allies as had the workers. Nothing in the programme of labour could be achieved if the Allies were beaten. There was room for hationhood within the British Empire and it was this federation of free peoples that was presenting such a formidable obstacle to the aggressive aims of German militarism.

The military position we now held was largely due to the skill and industry of the workmen in factories. Every victory in the field is a victory for the workers. We also must not forget the unparalleled way in which all the Dominions voluntarily came to the aid of the Mother Country. The strength of the Empire was due to a sense of " kinship, fraternity and good will.

Mr. Walter Long said that Mr. Holman was among the first of the representatives of the Dominions to preach the doctrine of the Empire first and the traditions of life-time second. As to the successful prosecution of the war he could regard with confidence the future burden of the Empire as long as they had men of the Dominions like Mr. Holman and the people he represented.

Mr. Hölman in the course of a hold speech advocated closer relation between the workers and the Government in order to avoid misunderstanding. He said the time had arrived when they should strike the balance between achievements like Messines Ridge and the wealth and labour thereby involved. He asked: Has, not the time arrived when frontal attacks should give way to other methods? We must enter on a policy of unceasing creation on the most scientific methods and develop aeroplanes in such numbers as to destroy, enemy communications and compel surrenders in bulka.

THE PEACE QUESTION.

A Plea for Minimum Terms

London, Aug. 15. The "Westminster Gazette" recommends the Government to consider what it would like to achieve as a result of the war and then, putting aside the prepositions, consider how much that achievement is likely to cost. Next it should consider not whether the Pope's proposals are inspired by Germany, or are acceptable as final terms but whether they afford a basis of negotiation with the prospect of securing the necessary minimum required by the Allies. If this question is answered negatively the Allies should announce what is the necessary minimum so that the world would not think, as Germany desires the world to think, that we are persisting in the war for aims that we could not and dare not avow.

Amsterdam, Aug. 15. The "Handelshlad" learns that discussions have been

occurring for some time at Lusanne between representatives of Turkey and the Entente with a view to a separate peace.

Separate Peace with Turkey?

THE KAISER'S CHARACTER REVEALED.

The chief interest hitherto in Mr. Gerard's, revelations in the "Daily Telegraph" is the light they throw on the character of the Kaiser. When Mr. Gerarl protested against submarinism the Kniser always asked why the United States did not break the British blockade. He once declared that before he would allow his family to starve he would blow up Windsor Castle and the whole English Royal Family, He always wanted the United States to do something against England when Mr. Gerard protested against any German violation of International Law. On one such occasion Mr. Gerard retorted: "If two men entered my grounds and one stepped on the flower beds and the other killed my sister would probably first pursue the murderer." The Kniser was unaffected by such an argument.

AUSTRIAN RAID ON VPNICE.

London, Aug. 15. 'An Austrian wireless official message states: As a reprisal for the aerial, attack on Pola numerous aeroplanes. attacked the Maritime Arsenal at Venice and successfully dropped four tons of bombs. Good hits and conflagrations were observed. Three machines are missing.

A WFEK'S SUBMARINISM:

London, Aug. 15.

The Admiralty announces that the arrivals during the week were: 2,776 and the sailings 2,666. Fourteen vessels over and two under 1,600 tons were sunk, while thirteen were unsuccessfully attacked. Three fishing vessels were

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HONGKONG STORM SIGNAL CODE. (LOCAL). Introduced on 1st JULY, 1917.

DAY SIGNALS. SICNAL SYMBOL MEANING

(A typhoon exists which may possibly cause a gule at Hongkong within 24 hours. Gale expected from the North (N.W. to N.E.) South (S.E. to S.W.) East (N.E. to S.E.) m) . West (N.W. to S.W.) Gale expected to increase.

Wind of typhoon force expected (any direction.)

Signal No. I is intended as a warning to "Stand By " and watch for the next wants." When it is housted after a black signal has been displayed it will mean that, on account of a change in the Brack of the typhoon, or for some other reason, a gale is no longer expected from the direction indicated by the YANGISZCS last signal, and that another black signal may nomibly be hoisted later. ignal No. 7 will be accompanied by three explosive bomba, fired at intervals of 16 seconds at the Water Police Station and repeated at the Harbour Office. The signals will be lowered when it is considered that all danger is over.

The Day Signals will be displayed at the must head of the storm signal must on Blackhead the Harbour Office, H.M.S. Tamor, Green Island signal must, the flagstaff on the premines of the Rongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company at Kowloon, the flagstaff on the premises of the Standard Oil Company at Lat-chi-kok, and the flagstaff near the Field Officer's Oparters at Lyemun. NIGHT SIGNALS. (Lamps.)

WHITE WHITE GREEN GREEN RED GREEN WHITE GREEN The Night Signals will be displayed, at agreet, on the tower of the Radway Station, on H.M. Torsor, and on the Harbour Office fluction. They will have the some simiforation as the day signals. Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by explosive bombs as above, in the event of the information on vered by this signal being first published at might.

SUPPLEMENTARY WARNINGS.

When lowed signals are displayed in the Harbour a CONE will be exhibited at the following statums:--GAP ROCK SAU KI WAN WAGLAN 🐠 SAI KUNG SHA TAU KOK STANLEY Oq 1at notify the fact to native craft and passing ocean vessels.

Further details can always be given to ocean vessels, on demand, by signal from lighthouses.

HONGKONG STORM SIGNAL CODE. (NON-LOGAL). Introduced on 1st JULY, 1917.

The Signals are made by means of ten at minds representing the ten numeral

atil an order to change or lower is received from the Observatory. The following information is given: Typhoon and Continental (of Position of centre; by 4 symbols at one yard arm. the Direction of motion and velicity of centre, and the time; by 3 symbols at the other yard arm (Tables 1, 2 and 3). 1 to The region threatened, the direction from which the ande is expected

Gale Signals and the time; by Asymbols at one yard arm (Tables 3 and 6). EXPLANATION OF THE SIGNALS.

The two upper signals of group to) indente the latitude, and the two lower symbols the longitude | K'loon Lands t the centre of the Typhoun or Depression in degrees, as nearly as can be savertained from the information available. Only the tens and units of the longitude are given; thus, Of indicates longitude 109 E. The upper expited of group (b) indicates the direction in which the Typhoon or Depression is The middle symbol of group (b) indicates the velocity at which the centre of the Typhon is travelling. Afternatively it may indicate certain conditions, or a Continental Depression. In such case

no velocity id/given. The lowest symbol of group (6) indicates the time at which the centre was in the position signalled The upper symbol of group tr) indicates the region threatened; the middle symbol the direction from which the gale is expected, and the lowest symbol the time at which gale conditions were first

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CONTINENTAL DEPRESSION SICNAL CALE SIGNAL

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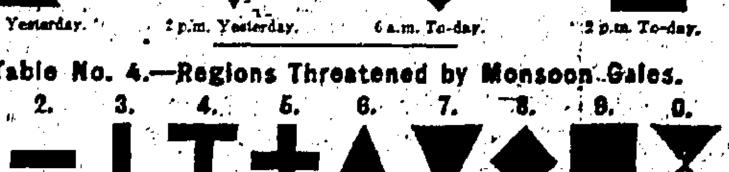
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These indicate the direction in which a typhoon or depression

Table No. 2.-Velocity and Condition Signals.

Table No. 3.—Time Signals. LOWEST SYMBOL OF HOIST.



T., F. CLAXTON. Director.

Royal Observatory, Hongitong,

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NOTICES.

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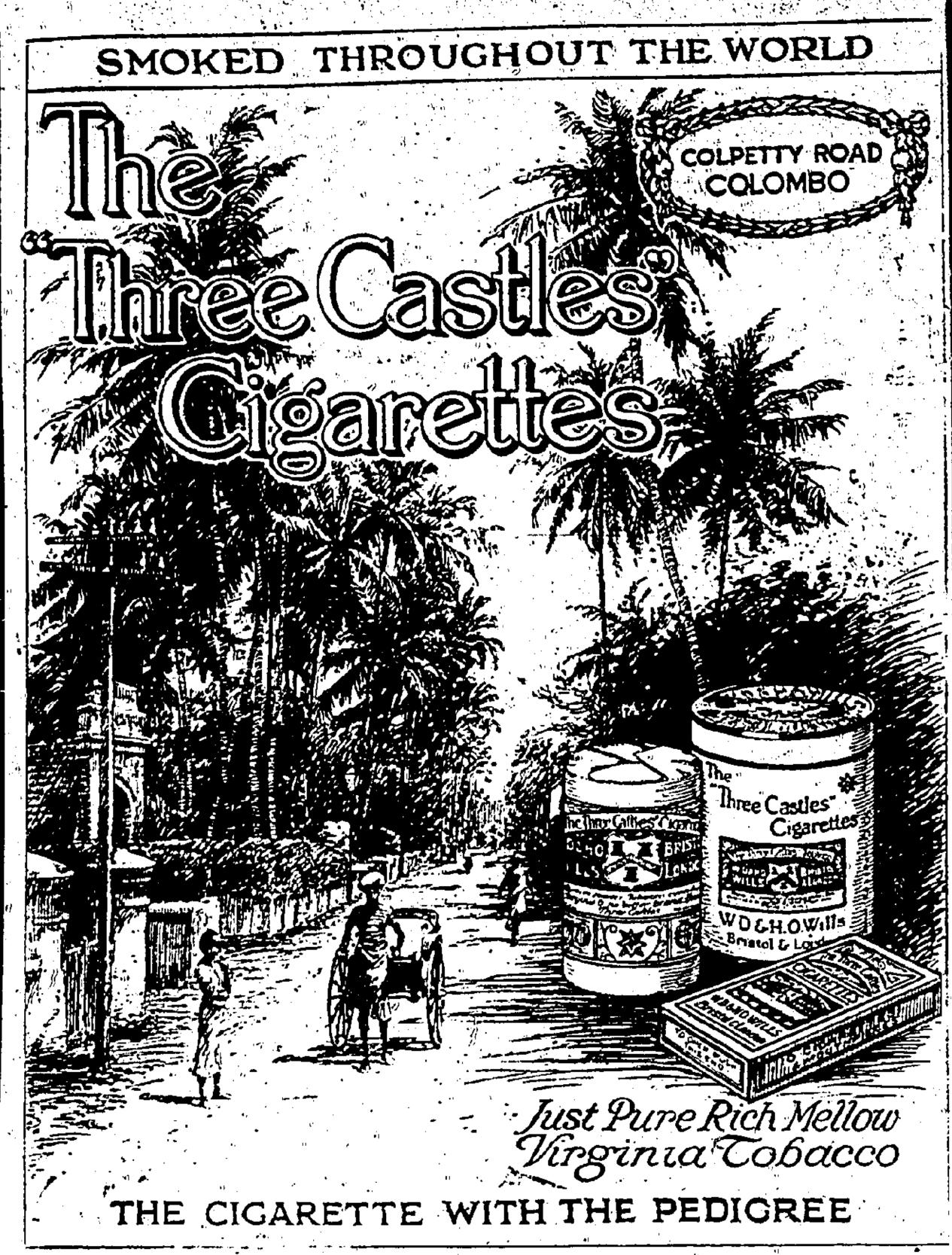
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PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT. GEQ.

AUCTIONEER. APPRAISER AND SURVEYOR.

By order of the Mortgagee MR GEO. P. LAMMERT has "received instructions to sellby Public Auction

WEDNESDAY the 22nd day of August, 1917. at 3 p.m. at his Sales Room, Duddell Street, Victoria

Hongkong.

The following

Valuable Leasehold Properties' situate at Yaumati in the Dependency of Kowloon and and Colony of Hongkong viz: ALL THOSE pieces or parcels

of ground situate at Yaumati aforesaid and know and registered in the Land Office respectively se Kowloon Inland Lots Nos. 629, 639, 631, and 1111 together with all buildings erected thereon respectively. Terms 75 years, 75 years, 75 years and 75 years respectively. Annual Crown reuts \$216.00. \$106.00. \$106.00 and \$30.00 respectively. Area 47,250 square feet, 23,100 square feet, 23.100 square feet and . 2.250 square feet respectively.

For further Particulars and Conditions of sale apply to; JOHNSON STOKES &

MASIER Prince's Buildings, Ice House Street,

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FOR SALE.

MOTOR CARS, MOTOR CARS . 1217 Overland Touring Cars. 6 Cylinder. 7 Seater. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Duddell Street, Hongkong, 18th February, 1917,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from Liquidator of Mesars. Reuter Brockelmann & Co., F.A.A.B. Brockelmann, E. R. Fuhrmann, Heinrich Heyn and the Estate of E. C. L. Reuter deceased in pursuance of an order of the Hongkong Government to sell by Public Auction at 3 o'clock in the afternoon - "

FRIDAY

the 31st day of August, 1917. at their Auction Rooms, at No. 8. Des Vœux Road, Central.

THE VALUABLE LEASE-

HOLD PROPERTY situate and being Inland Lots Nos. 611, 612, 662 and 663, Victoria, Hongkong.

In Two Lots. Lot One consists of the pieces or parcels of ground registered in the Land Office as Inland Lots Nos. 611 and 662 together with Godown No. 125 Wanchai Road, situate thereon.

Lot Two consists of the pieces or parcels of ground registered in the Land Office as Inland Lots Nos. 612 and 663 together with Godown No. 127 Wanchai Road situate thereon.

The area of the property comprised in Lot One is, 5,500 square feet. The Crown rent is \$70 per annum.

The property comprised in Lot 2 has a similar area and is subject to Crown rent and rates amount.

Each godown is built of brick and stone and is three storeys in height with a large tiled roof containing an attic storey. Each Inland Lot is held for an unexpired residue amounting to 940 years or thereab.uts of the term "created by the Crown Lease thereof.

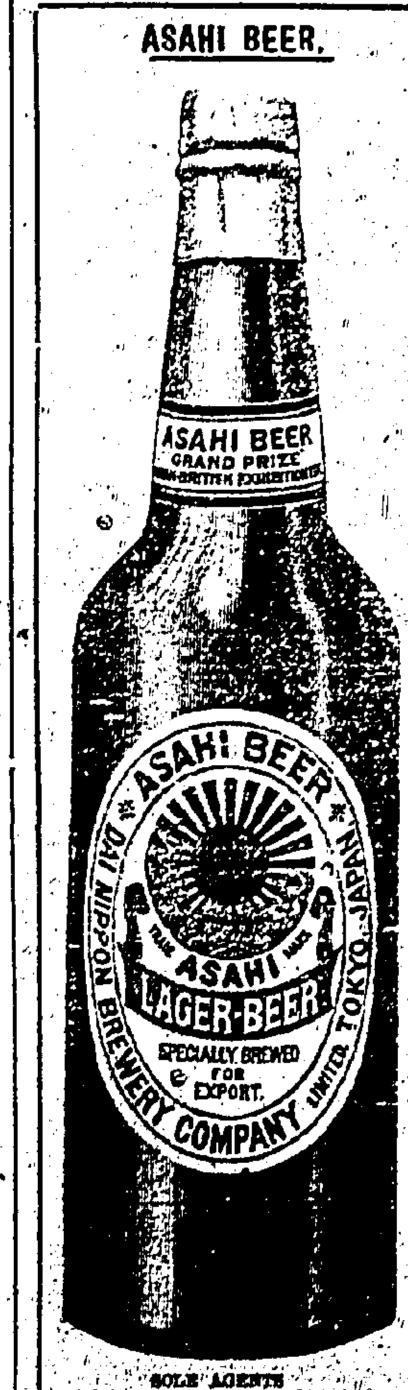
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DEACON & HARSTON, 1 Des Voeux Road Central, Solicitors for the Liquidator,

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Hongkong, 30th May, 1917

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NOTICES.

BHANCH P.O.

Macao. - Week days, 7.30 a.m., 1.30 p.m.; Sundays, 8.30 a.m.; Holidays, 7.30 a.m., 1.30 p.m. Canton.-Week days, 7.30 s.m., 9.30 p.m. Sundays, 9.30 p.m.; Holidays, 7.30 a.m.,

Shor Ki.-Week days, 9.30 p.m.; Sundays, 9.30 p.m.; Holidays, 9.30 p.m. Kongmoon.—Week days, 6 p.m.; Bundays, 6 p.m.; Holidays, 6 p.m. Kumchuk.—Week days, 6 p.m.; Sundays, 6 p.m.; Holidays, 6 p.m. Kaukong.-Week days, 6 p.m., Except Saturdays; Sundays, 6 p.m.; Holidays,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

at 3 p.m. at his Sales Room,

Hongkong,

Valuable Leasehold Property situate at Victoris in the Colony of Hongkong, viz:

ground situate at Victoria aforesaid and known and registered in the Land Office as, Inland Lot No. 2016 Together with the messuage erections and building thereon known as No. 269 Des Voeux Road Central. Terms 999 years commencing from 31st January, 1901. Angual Crown Rent \$20.00. Area 1,120 Square Feet.

Conditions of Sale apply to JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,

WEATHER REPORT.

IMPORT PROHIBITIONS The public are informed that the dermentioned articles are prohibited from importation into the United Kingdem, either by letter post or by parcel

Gold manufactured or unmanufactured, including gold coin and articles consisting partly of or containing gold; All manufactures of Silver other than silver watches and silver watch cases: 'Jewellery of any description.

Letters and Parcels containing such articles cannot therefore be accepted for transmission by the Post Office.

POST OFFICE.

LENCH LYRCET REGULYING

The Public are informed that the new regulations, adopted by the Franch Customs insist that senders of parcels addressed to France, Corsica and Algeria finest fill in the columns of the regular, Customs Declaration particularly and exactly, omitting none of the headings comprised therein.

It is furthermore absolutely necessary to show in the aforesaid declaration (1) The full name and address of the addresses (2) A statement as to whether the contents are intended for State supplies or not.

Particulars of ourgoing and incrming fails will not be advertised in future The Post Office will forward all corres-

pondence posted by the fastest routes. subjects in China, Siam, Siberia and Portuguese East Africa, Persia and Morocoo cannot be transmitted.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are

mesended Unineured parcels for the United Kingdom will in future be forwarded from Hongkong in bags and the Public are therefore advised to pack such parcels very carefully.

LOCAL AND REGULAR MAIL OUTWARD.

Tai O .- Week days, 5 p.m. Tai Po.-Week days, 10 a.m.; Sundays, Changsha

Cheurig Chow, -- Weeks days, 7.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Shatautok Shatin and Sheungahui. Week days, 4 p.m.

Week days, 4 p.m.
Aberdeen, Antau, Ping Shan, Sai Kung,
Santin and Stanley.—Week days, 4.30 p.m.
Canton, Samshui and Wuchow.—Week
days, 7.30 a.m., Registration 5 p.m., LetKoshun ters 6 p.m.; Sundays, 5 p.m. Macao.-Week days, 7.15 s.m., L.30 p.m.; Canton

Bundays, 9 a.m. Kongmoon -- Week days, 6 p.m. Except Saturdays; Sundays, 5 p.m.'
Namtau and Sanmei.-Week days,

5 p.m.; Sundaya, 5 p.m. Shamchun.—Week days, 10 a.m., 4 p.m. Sundays, 9 s.m.

FROM SHEUNGWAN WESTERN

Tai Ping Tung.—Week days, 9.30 p.m.; Sundays, 9.30 p.m.; Holidays, 9.30 p.m.

By order of the Mortgagees MR GEO. P. LAMMERT has received instructions to sell by Public Auction

TUESDAY

the 28th day of August, 1917,

Duddell Street. Victoria,

The following

ALL THAT piece or parcel of

For further Particulars and

or to Mr. GEO. P. I.AMMERT. The Auctioneer. Hongkong 10th August, 1917.

On the 17th at 11.15-No returns from Japan or Vladivostock. Preseure has increased slightly from Shanghai to Weihalwei, and decreased slightly to moderately at other reporting stations; .. there is no significant change in general distribution since resterday. At 6 a.m. this morning the typhoon was cituated in Lat. 17 N. Long. 124 E. approximately.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 69.49 inches against an average of 60.19 inches.

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August 17, a,m.

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C. W. JEFFRIES,-Chief Assistant. Hongkong Observatory, Aug. 17, 1917. 1 Barometet, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

2 Temperature, in the shade, in degrees Fahrenheit. 3 Humidity, in percentage of saturation

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NOTICES:

NOTICE. CT. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, Macao. Re-opens Sept. 10th. A liberal education provided in English, Commercial Subjects, Modern languages and Chinese

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healthiest part of Macao. Applications to the Fr. Director.

UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG.

Matriculation, Senior and Junior Local Examinations. These Examinations will com-

mence on MONDAY. December. 10th, 1917, Arrangements will be made to hold the Examinations at any town where a sufficient number of Candidates offer themselves. Candidates who wish to be

Hongkong or Shaughai, must apply to the Registrar on or before September 2rd. 1917. lars can be obtained on application to the Registrar, The Uni-

examined at any other place than

versity, Honekong. The entry form, duly, filled in. must reach the Registrar. together with the fee (Ten Dollars, Hongkong Currency) on or before October 2nd, 1917. Four Cash Prizes will be

Matriculation Examination, provided that Candidates of sufficient merit offer themselves. Candidates who recare cash prizes must enter the University on January 2nd, 1918 and must

awarded on the results of the

directly managed by the Univer-The Examination will be conducted according to the " Regulations for the Senior and Junior By Order of the Court of Local Examinations and for Directors. the Matriculation Examination,

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK CO, LID,

NOTICE is hereby given that an Interim Dividend of \$2.50 per share will be paid to all Shareholders on the Company's Register at 30th September 1917.

By Order of the Board of of Directors. R. M. DYER. Chief Manager.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

A N INTERIM DIVIDEND of ONE DOLLAR (\$L-) per share for account 1917 will be payable on FRIDAY, the 24th August, 1917. Shoreholders are requested to apply for Dividend Warrants at the Company's Office Bt. George's Buildings,

Hongkong. The TRANSFER BOOKS of Forms of entry and all particu- the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY the 20th August, 1917, to FRIDAY, 24th August, 1917, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI

General Managera,

BANKING CORPORATION. THE DIVIDEND DECLARED for the Half Year ending. 03th. June 1917, at the rate of Two Pounds three shillings Sterling per share, is payable on reside in one of the hostels and after MONDAY the 13th day of August, (urrent, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested, to apply for Warrants.

> N. J. STABB, Chief Manager.

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